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MILNER'S PREDICTION.

Williams' Nomination Likely to Cause Republican Governor.

Austin, July 17.—Agricultural Commissioner Milner declares that the Democratic nomination of Williams for governor might result in the election of a Republican governor in Texas. He believes that before the November election sentiment now favorable to Williams would take a somersault and a big flop be made into the Republican column.

The adjutant general has issued orders for rifle competition between officers and men of Texas National guard, to be held at Camp Mabry, July 28 to 31, to select the Texas rifle team to compete in the national match at Camp Perry, O., commencing Aug. 24.

Fitzsimmons' Challenge Accepted.

Spokane, Wash., July 17.—Stanley Ketchel has accepted Bob Fitzsimmons' challenge for a fight for the middleweight championship. The men will meet shortly to arrange terms. The fight is to go twenty rounds and is to be held near here.

Call For Condition.

Washington, July 17.—The comptroller of the currency has issued a call for condition of national banks July 15.

Might Still Be Alive.

Denver, July 17.—Giuseppe Alia might have been living still had he made known to acting Governor Harper his claim that Father Leo Heinrichs, for whose murder Alia was hanged at Canyon City, was the man who ruined his home and caused him, as he claimed, to become a wanderer.

MURDERS FIVE PERSONS.

With Death Hovering Near Frank Johnson Makes Confession.

Clarksburg, W. V., July 17.—Just before his execution in the Moundsville penitentiary for the murder of Beulah Martin, a negress, Frank Johnson, a negro, made the startling confession to the minister who attended him that he took the lives of five persons. The list is as follows:

Unknown man, Blassburg, Ala.
Edith Hannah, Chicago, 1904.
— Blue, Shippensville, Pa., 1906.
Woman, name unknown, Steubenville, O., 1907.

Beulah Martin, negress, Gypsy, W. Va., March, 1908.

In his confession Johnson said his real name was Edward Walton, and that he was born in Georgia.

Pierced With a Bullet.

Dallas, July 17.—In the saloon of Charles Kaufman Abe Moskowitz of Fort Worth was shot by a pistol bullet and instantly killed and Bernard Dworkin of the same city wounded in the left side. Kaufman was jailed.

BONES EXHUMED.

Those of Negro Lynched Thirty-Nine Years Ago.

Bremond, Tex., July 17.—The Polish Catholic people, in digging the foundation for their new church, dug up the bones of a man whom it appears was killed about the place where the church is located.

It is remembered a white man was found dead in 1869 about the place indicated, and some days later a negro came to the prairie hunting a gray pony that was running here, and found the pony and went hence. Some weeks after a crew was obtained and pointed to the negro as the murderer, when later the negro was found in Falls county and brought back to the place where the man was killed and hung to a post oak. He first admitted that he followed the man from Owenville and killed him while nooning under a tree. He took his horse and saddlebags and left his pony. There were but few people here then. The bones of the unknown have been buried again.

MISSOURI TO HOLD PRIMARY.

A Great Many Candidates—Some Dissatisfaction With Primary System.

St. Louis, Mo., July 17.—Early in the coming month Missouri is to have its first trial of the primary election law. Nominations will be made for all state and county offices and for members of the state legislature which will have the selection of a successor to United States Senator William J. Stone. Senator Stone is a candidate for re-election and is opposed by Governor Folk.

Former Congressman W. S. Cowherd appears to have a good lead in the contest for the Democratic nomination for governor, though in order to win out he will have to overcome a spirited opposition. The race started with nearly a score of aspirants, but the field has now narrowed down to Cowherd, David Ball and one or two others.

In regards to the Republican ticket it is also pretty well established just who the nominees will be. Attorney General Herbert S. Hadley will be the candidate for governor. For all the other places on the Republican ticket, with but two exceptions, there are no contests. All of the present state officers on the Republican side are to receive nominations without opposition, excepting in the cases of attorney general and railroad and warehouse commissioner, for which there are rival aspirants in the field.

Dissatisfaction with the primary system is expressed in many quarters. Objection is made that it is too easy for "favorite sons" to get their names on the ballot, with the result that the latter becomes a blanket sheet which is very confusing to the average voter as well as a source of great expense to the state and county. In some counties the names of nearly 300 candidates will appear on the ballots.

Boyet & Myers, insurance agents have something interesting to say in their ad.

FATHER'S SAD TASK.

Will Care For Graves of His Triplet Babies.

New York, July 17.—Out in the Lutheran cemetery at Newton, Queensborough, Adolph Liepold's companions dug three tiny graves and that number of small white coffins were lowered into the graves side by side. They were Liepold's three children, triplets who died, one after the other, within a period of three days. Three little granite slabs will be set up.

The father of the three dead children is a gardener in the cemetery. With his wife, Elizabeth, he lives at Middleville. The children were born on Jan. 10.

The heat of the last few days made all of them ill. Olga died on Tuesday, Wilhelmina died a day later and Thursday morning Fredrica breathed her last.

When Liepold goes back to work in the cemetery it will fall to his lot to keep the graves of his three children green, as they are buried in that part of the cemetery.

Romance Behind Suicide.

Chicago, July 17.—Behind the suicide of Lillian Watkins, the theosophist, a romance, blighted by "curse of blood," has developed. It was supposed the girl was an East Indian baby. Her mother worked and gave her a good education. The couple separated so the girl could mingle with white people. Lillian became engaged to Thomas Kennedy. When the girl told her secret Kennedy left her, and married another girl. Two weeks ago Kennedy suicided, leaving Lillian \$15,000. The coroner's jury found Lillian killed herself because of despondency over Kennedy's death.

Payments Soon Begin.

Lawton, Okla., July 17.—Beginning on Monday, and continuing from day to day thereafter until completed, Lieutenant Stocker, Indian agent to the Kiowa, Comanche and Apache Indians, will pay to the various individual Indians of these tribes \$275,000, which will average nearly \$100 to each man, woman and child. The last semi-annual payment was a very small one. This is the largest sum ever paid the southwest Indians, and was secured by Scott Ferris in an appropriation bill.

Tennessee Populists.

Nashville, July 17.—The state convention of the People's party was held at Nashville. The platform, as adopted, indorses the platform of the national party made at St. Louis, and pledges support to the nominees; favors the enactment by congress of the Hepburn-Dolliver bill, or a similar measure prohibiting the importation of liquor into territory where its sale has been prohibited, and demands legislation against bucketshops and the extension of temperance laws.

Jacket Makers Win.

New York, July 17.—Twenty-five hundred children's jacket makers who went on strike five weeks ago against a reduction in wages won the strike in all but a few shops. Their gaining demands are looked on by the unions as indication that trade is rapidly improving, and preparations have been made by the unions in the women's garment trades, in which wages have been cut, they demand a restoration of former wages.

Run Results In Failure.

Cleveland, O., July 17.—The Farmers and Merchants' Banking company of this city closed its doors Friday. Liabilities and assets are each estimated at about \$800,000.

Failure was caused by a run that gradually depleted the vault of its currency. A deed of assignment was filed in the insolvency court and Edward S. Spurney appointed receiver. The bank is capitalized at \$100,000.

Confesses Counterfeiting.

St. Louis, July 17.—Walter C. Guild, a dentist and photographer, has confessed to making counterfeit bills through a photographic process. He declared he needed money to pay for a home, to educate his seven children. Guild passed the money while traveling about the state. He wrote his wife he was succeeding well and had enough to pay for a home and keep the children in school. He was arrested next day.

Because of Rusty Nail.

Oklahoma City, July 17.—Because a rusty nail in a temporary sidewalk on the premises of the Pioneer Telephone company punctured her shoe and injured her toe to the extent that a surgical operation was necessary, Miss Inez Strain, a hello girl, has sued the company for \$10,000 damages.

Shoots Himself Through Head.

Pittsburg, July 17.—During the temporary absence of his wife Friday morning Charles W. Hamilton, assistant district attorney of Allegheny county, residing at Elizabeth, Pa., secured a revolver and shot himself through the head. Death resulted within an hour. Ill health is supposed to have been the cause.

Chinese Emperor Ill.

Pekin, July 17.—Emperor Tsai Tien has been ill for several days past. 't is impossible to ascertain what the malady is because western medical science is barred from the imperial palace, but reports indicate he is suffering from dysentery.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

THE CITY NATIONAL BANK

OF BRYAN, TEXAS

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 15, 1908.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....	\$276,019.97
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....	104,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,626.00
CASH.....	129,916.39
Total.....	\$512,562.36

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus.....	80,000.00
Undivided Profits (net).....	9,122.29
Circulation.....	50,000.00
DEPOSITS.....	323,439.44
Total.....	\$512,562.36

I, G. S. Parker, President of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. S. PARKER, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this July 17, 1908.

F. L. CAVITT,

Notary Public Brazos County, Texas

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For Congress Sixth District:
RUFUS HARDY (Re-election).

For State Senator—12th District:
A. J. HARPER.
W. R. BOYD.

For Representative—55th District:
W. C. DAVIS (re-election).

For District Attorney—20th District:
J. FELTON LANE.

For County Judge:
A. G. BOARD. (re-election)

For Sheriff:
J. D. CONLEE.
GEO. R. WICKER.

For District Clerk:
H. O. JONES.
J. C. BENNETT
J. H. SUBER
A. A. DEAN

For County Attorney:
LAMAR BETHEA (Re-election)

For County Superintendent:
T. W. PARKER. (Re-election)

For Tax Collector:
W. WIPPRECHT (re-election)
J. W. BARRON.

For Tax Assessor:
J. H. MCCOLLUGH (re-election)

For County Treasurer:
JNO. M. LAWRENCE (re-election).

For County Clerk:
S. W. BUCHANAN.
W. C. BOYETT

For County Commissioner Prec. No. 4:
HENRY BERGER.
J. B. PRIDDY.
O. L. WILCOX.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 5:
J. C. BLUME (re-election)
ARCHIE L. SMITH.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 2:
W. L. EDGE.

For Constable Precinct No. 1:
CHAS. H. VANCE, JR.

For Justice of Peace Prec. No. 4:
L. D. McGEE (Re-election)
W. GILLIE MITCHELL.

For Constable Precinct No. 4:
C. L. BAKER (re-election).

BRYAN, TEXAS, JULY 18, 1908

During Roosevelt's two terms nearly 100,000 new federal offices have been created and filled with tax-eaters, entailing an additional expenditure of nearly \$70,000,000.

NEWS FROM CASTRO COUNTY.

Large Increase in Valuation—Brazos County Visitors Expected.

Dimmitt, Tex., July 13.—Bryan Eagle: Messrs. Enoch Holland and Luther Barron of your town came in to Dimmitt a short time ago and are still here. Enoch is driving the Dimmitt and Herford mail back and Luther is working for his cousin, S. I. Lee. Harvesting is nearly over for this year. I have 10 small stacks of wheat and a rick of oats 60 feet long. One of my neighbors and myself bought an 8-foot During machine and have cut about 400 acres of wheat and oats, and have 33 acres more to cut after district court adjourns. Court convened this (Monday) morning, and it seldom ever holds more than three days here. Our pastor, Rev. J. T. Burnett, assisted by Rev. Sebe Thomas, of Decatur, began a Baptist protracted meeting last Saturday at 11 o'clock. The services are well attended and we are expecting a glorious meeting.

Well, the candidates are hustling now among the dear people; they all seem to have the candidate grip down pat. Oh, well, their troubles will soon be over, for awhile at least. We have had an abundance of rain ever since the 15th of May. Crops are simply fine. Wheat is threshing out from 10 to 20 bushels per acre where they have threshed. We will begin threshing in this crop in about 10 days. Would like for some of you people to visit us while we are knocking out the golden grain with the latest improved J. I. Case steam threshing machine. We are going to expect J. H. McCullough and R. M. Nall to visit us this summer, but we won't look for them until after the 25th of this month. The total valuation of all assessable property in Castro county this year is \$3,080,248, an increase of \$2,000,000 in the last four years.

I enjoyed reading the letter of Jack Swearingen of Hondo in the Eagle, as he is an old acquaintance of mine, and I have been at his place in Medina county; he had a nice place at that time, 17 years ago, and I am sure he is getting along all right by this time. Say, what has become of Joe Shepard of Colorado City? He promised me he would write to the Eagle, but I haven't seen anything in the paper from him yet. I would love to hear from all my old Brazos county friends who have left that country through the columns of the Eagle. I am sure if all the people who have left there were to write as long a letter as I have written for the same issue of the paper, they would not have room for any advertisements.

Hoping to hear from you all, I am
Yours truly,
W. S. DIXON.

THOUGH BLIND, HE SAW IT.

Speaking to a representative of the Denver News, Senator Gore said: "I saw the waving banners, the marching, gesticulating crowds, and the look of the triumph on the faces of the Bryan followers as plainly as if I had my sight; for the blind man is not so remote from the world as the person who has good eyes and no imagination." This is the interview, expressed that was the state of his mind, when in the beginning of what was intended to be a long speech, he exploded a bomb which turned the convention into a bedlam of Bryan enthusiasm. The senator does not like to talk of his blindness. He scorns pity because he feels that, although handicapped, he is able to make his way along the pathway of life without a guide. "I do not know," said he, "whether it was a tribute to my oratory or to Bryan's popularity, but the enthusiasm went rushing on like an ocean billow and engulfed everything in its path. What happened is as plain to me as if I had seen every move that was made. Eyesight is not as valuable," said Gore, "as the magnetism which every blind man possesses. We feel what is going on, not only in the sense of being in perfect accord with it, but we actually enjoy a sensation unknown to those who have their sight. When I face an audience I know what their feelings toward me are and when they are impressed with what I say the fact is communicated to me magnetically before there is any applause or demonstration. The demonstration today was, however, a complete surprise. I had scarcely completed the introduction of my speech when the storm broke, and during the hour or more that followed I faced the crowd and 'saw' what was going on. I believe my picture of it is as vivid as that of any man or woman present."

The establishment of every new industrial enterprise increases the demand for the products of the farmer.

CITY SCHOOL BOARD MEETING.

Proceedings Are Brief—Seventh Grade Teacher Elected—Miss Parks Resigns.

A meeting of the board of trustees of the city schools was held yesterday afternoon at the Carnegie library, with President W. R. Saunders presiding and a quorum of the members present.

The session was of short duration, very little outside of unimportant business coming up. A report from the building committee was received and showed that repairs being made on one of the buildings were progressing satisfactorily.

Quite a number of applications for the position of teacher of the seventh grade were considered and that of Mr. D. J. Blankenbecker of a Virginia point was accepted conditionally. Mr. Blankenbecker will be advised of the action of the board and its terms, subject to his acceptance.

Miss Lillian Parks, who at the regular election, was chosen music teacher of the school for another term, tendered her resignation to the board, which was duly accepted.

The 1908-9 term of school will open on the 14th of September, to continue the usual nine months.

HARVEY 7, BRYAN 4.

Bryan and Harvey crossed bats yesterday afternoon on the diamond of the latter and a very interesting game resulted in the visiting team losing its scalp by a score of 7 to 4. Batteries: Harvey—Ferguson, catcher; Pate, pitcher. Bryan—Hearn, catcher; Howard, pitcher.

A return game will be played on Bryan ground next Friday, and the home team also meets the Reliance nine on its diamond tomorrow.

First blood for the Democrats. The city of Walla Walla, Wash., hitherto a Republican stronghold, has elected a Democratic mayor.

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Loans and discounts	\$273,625.20	Capital stock	\$100,000.00
U. S. bonds and premiums	156,400.00	Surplus	50,000.00
State bonds, premiums, etc.	52,015.10	Undivided net profits	32,072.26
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	11,150.00	Circulation	100,000.00
CASH	106,858.39	Re-discounts	27,603.72
	\$600,048.69	DEPOSITS	290,372.71
			\$600,048.69

I, L. L. McInnis, Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. L. McINNIS, Cashier.

Correct-attest:

J. W. HOWELL

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this July 17th 1908. W. P. Bryan, Notary Public, Brazos County, Texas.

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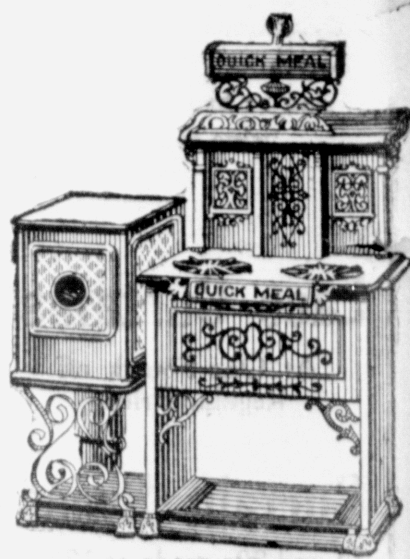
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No. 102 North bound.....12:54 p.m.
No. 101 South bound.....4:14 p.m.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

Eat at Buchanan's dttf.
E. J. Beard left for Marlin yesterday.
Counters and lumber for sale. A. J. Wagner & Co. dttf.
J. J. Jones of College was in the city yesterday.
Lum Holden of Cottonwood was here yesterday.
J. M. Slaughter of Reliance was here yesterday.
Insurance payers should read Boyett & Myers' ad. tf
F. Winter went to Hempstead yesterday on business.
A. Moore of Kurten was here on business yesterday.
E. W. Thompson of Tabor was in the city yesterday.
W. E. Graham of Rock Prairie was in the city yesterday.
Miss Ludmila Hajek returned yesterday from Cameron.
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H. Morgan of Reliance was a visitor here yesterday.
E. E. Wilson was in town yesterday from Cottonwood.
Desirable lumber; been in use; for sale. A. J. Wagner & Co. dttf.
We have for sale Merry Widow perfume. Cavitt's Drug Store. 192
J. M. Carroll and wife of College were visitors here yesterday.
T. M. and C. V. Gannaway of Tabor left yesterday for Nolan, Mo.
Mrs. T. C. Nunn has as her guest, Miss Woodie Kirby of Columbus.
Call for a McKinley music catalogue at Cavitt's Drug Store. 192
Miss Pearl Fullerton of Tabor went to Somerville on a visit yesterday.
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C. H. Mathis and Lee Burley of Reliance were visitors to the city yesterday.
President O. C. Charlton of the Texas Woman's College went to Benchley yesterday.
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Misses Mollie and Fannie Walker, visitors at College, have returned to Montgomery.
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Over 250 pairs men's and boys' Oxfords (new stock and all) offered at half price today and tomorrow (Friday and Saturday) only at Hunter & Chatham's. You can't afford not to buy at least one pair. 192

Some twenty-five Bryanites, men and ladies, who have been spending several days at Hall's lake, returned Thursday night. Their outing proved one of unalloyed sport and enjoyment, fine catches of fish being made and numerous squirrels bagged.

Every pair of men's and boys' Oxfords in house (including new stock and all) will be put on sale Friday and Saturday at half price to raise quick cash. Hunter & Chatham. 192

WISE MEN

Are those who flocked to Hunter & Chatham's store to investigate the half prices of men's and boys' low-cut shoes yesterday; for when they saw that they could invest one dollar and get two dollars' worth of good, new footwear, they were not slow in calling for their size and plunking down the cash. While the stock dwindled down very rapidly from yesterday's trade, they still have over 150 pairs left for today, and warn those who have not yet taken advantage of the great sacrifice to come early. 192

ADMITTED TO BOND.

Jack Woods, arrested several days ago on a charge of assault with intent to murder, committed here something like a year ago, was given a preliminary hearing yesterday before Magistrate McGee, and admitted to bail for his appearance before the grand jury in the sum of \$250.00, in default of which he was remanded to jail.

CHARGED WITH THEFT.

Mary Graves, a negro woman living in the northern part of town, was placed under arrest Thursday night by Deputy Baker on complaint of Josh Elmore, also colored, who represented that the woman had taken \$10 in currency belonging to him and refused to restore it. She was lodged in jail and a charge of misdemeanor theft preferred against her. The money was recovered.

POPULAR EXCURSION.

Galveston and Houston Via I. & G. N. July 19th.

Tickets will be sold for trains arriving in Houston and Galveston on the evening of July 18th and Sunday morning, July 19th. Good to return leaving Galveston on or before Monday, July 20th. For rates and information regarding train service, etc., see I. & G. N. agent.

FREE BAPTIST CHURCH, BRYAN.

There will be preaching at the Free Baptist church, in Bryan, Sunday night at 8 p. m. by the pastor. Subject: "The Doctrine of Angels." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. All are invited to come and bring their friends and worship with us in these meetings. T. C. FERGUSON, Pastor.

SINGING SCHOOL CLOSING.

In fitting celebration of its successful course the closing of the vocal music school conducted for the past ten days at Harvey by F. Y. Turner was made the occasion of a public dinner yesterday. A bountiful spread of palatable viands had been prepared and there were social festivities which made the affair most enjoyable. A feature of the day was an address by Mr. A. W. Buchanan of Bryan for which he chose the appropriate subject, "The Power of Music." Mr. Turner stated that the session had been very successful, the enrollment of pupils throughout being some seventy-five. He left last night for Monger, Limestone county, where he will open a twenty days' school.

LARGE CROWD AT MILLICAN.

One Thousand People Enjoy Barbecue, Which Proved a Complete Success.

Conservatively estimated the attendance at the Millican barbecue Thursday reached fully 100 persons. Bryan was well represented and the participants came from possibly every section in the county.

Not a single incident occurred to mar the celebration and it is pronounced one of the most successful of its kind ever given in Brazos county. By mutual agreement among themselves, stump speaking by candidates was tabooed, but the various aspirants to office found plenty of opportunities to mingle among the people and plead their cause.

The dinner served was excellent and in such quantity as to be more than sufficient to satisfy the appetites of all present.

From early evening until late into the night a large number of lovers of Terpsichore tripped away the hours to the strains of special music at the commodious Woodmen hall.

Millican fully sustained her reputation for hospitality and the affair redounds most creditably to the community.

LAST NIGHT'S CONCERT AT PARK.

Large Crowd Heard Musical Program. Methodist Ladies Served Cream.

The second of the regular Friday night concerts by the Bohemian Club band at city park was held last night and a large crowd heard the excellent program. Interest and attendance, too, were perhaps augmented by reason of the ice cream supper given by the ladies of the Methodist church. Liberal patronage was accorded the ladies and a neat sum was realized, which will be applied to the church fund.

These entertainments are an innovation for Bryan and seem to meet with the approval and appreciation of all. The following program was rendered: Canabas March Hall
The National March and Two-Step Seitzer
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Northern Bells Two-Step Rolfe
Overture—"Nugget Nell" Southwell
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Head of Republican Ticket Says That While He Is Pleased With Epistles From That State Thinks the Wish Is Father to the Thought.

Hot Springs, Va., July 17.—Democrats in many southern states are writing to W. H. Taft declaring their purpose to vote for him and devote whatever may be in their power to secure his election. Letters of this kindred form one of the most interesting features of Mr. Taft's daily increasing mail. From Democrats in Maryland, Kentucky, Tennessee and North Carolina and Georgia has he received letters assuring him that it is the belief of the writers that those states will give their electoral votes to the Republican ticket in the election.

While Taft reads the letters with interest he receives the information that there is hope of carrying Georgia with the feeling that on the part of the writer the wish is father to the thought. The intense feeling against the policies of Governor Hoke Smith in that state is looked upon as the foundation of the bitterness of Georgia Democrats toward the election of Bryan, as they look upon Bryan and Smith as representing the same ideas.

From Maryland especially Mr. Taft has a large number of advices from Democrats that they expect to see the state go Republican and there will be many Democratic votes to help carry it. Many of these Democratic correspondents declared the nomination of Bryan was doubly repugnant to them because they believed his defeat in two campaigns disposed of him as a candidate of the Democratic party to represent what they regard as true Democracy.

Denied by Bryan.

Lincoln, Neb., July 17.—In response to a telegraphic inquiry from the Baltimore Sun asking if it is true, as asserted by Bishop Walters of the Afro-American Episcopal church, that Mr. Bryan has assured a negro delegation that he regarded President Roosevelt's action in the Brownsville case as unjust, and that he would recognize negroes' appointments to office, Mr. Bryan wired as follows:

"Report not true. I have refused to discuss Brownsville case, and I have not discussed appointments of negroes."

Conference Called.

Chicago, July 17.—State chairmen and committeemen from states west of the Missouri river will meet Chairman Hitchcock of the Republican national committee at Colorado Springs, Colo., on Monday and Tuesday. The meeting has been called for the purpose of bringing western Republican leaders closer together and plan to systematically run the campaign that is to be made in the west for Taft and Sherman.

Glad to Hear It.

Oyster Bay, July 17.—In answer to a telegram sent by the Democratic leader of this village to W. J. Bryan after his nomination assuring Mr. Bryan he would receive a good majority of the votes in President Roosevelt's home town the Democratic candidate sent the following letter: "I am glad to have good cheer from the Democrats of Oyster Bay."

First Appeal.

Lincoln, Neb., July 17.—The first appeal for campaign contributions by the Democratic candidates for the presidency and vice presidency was made Friday. In a formal message directed to the farmers of the country Messrs. Bryan and Kern urge them to contribute according to their means and in other ways assist in restoring the Democracy to power.

American Athletes Disgusted.

London, July 17.—American athletes are thoroughly disgusted with the treatment accorded them by officials of the olympic games.

The secrecy with which drawing for track events is made and the result of this system, whereby the best American runners are put in the same heats, is bad enough, they say, but now the unfairness in the tug of war Friday between the Americans and United Kingdom teams, in which officials allowed the United Kingdom team to compete with prepared shoes, contrary to all rules, disheartened the American contestants and after a protest withdrew.

Human Flesh Blown Long Ways.

Gleelum, Wash., July 17.—A carload of powder exploded at the plant of the Northwestern Improvement company. Nine persons were killed and a score seriously hurt. Fragments of bodies were scattered over a radius of half a mile. Mrs. Peters Moffit and her infant child were in a tent near the car. Not a vestige of the tent or bodies can be found.

Tanning Company's Big Loss.

Everett, Pa., July 17.—A fire, believed to be of incendiary origin destroyed the main building of the Elk Tanning company. Loss is estimated at \$350,000.

Succumbs to Injuries.

Houston, July 17.—Earl Ward, a youth, who had both legs crushed at Hempstead by a locomotive, died in a Houston sanitarium.

Catches Large Carp.

San Angelo, Tex., July 17.—In the main Concho river east of here, M. V. McDaniel caught a twenty-pound carp

Mistaken Identity Victim.

Canyon City, Colo., July 17.—A signed statement given by Guiseppi Alia to Antonio Sasso, an Italian guard at the prison, before his execution Wednesday night, makes it appear that Father Leo Henricks was a victim of mistaken identity. In this statement Alia declared that the priest whom he killed was an Italian priest for whom he worked five years in Portugal and who, he declared, dishonored his wife. He said he recognized Father Leo as this man and visited the church several times to make sure before he shot him.

Father Leo's friends and the members of the priesthood say the church records show that he had never been in Portugal.

Fine Residence Destroyed.

Bonham, Tex., July 17.—Fire destroyed the elegant residence of T. B. Williams. Part of contents was saved. Loss is \$5,000; insurance partial.

MERELY MENTIONED.

Thousands of crates of tomatoes are being shipped from Humboldt, Tenn. Conway, Ark., will soon have a \$35,000 school building.

Soldiers of the New Mexico National guard are in camp at Leon Springs, Tex.

Thomas Matthews, a little boy, drowned in the Salt Lake City reservoir.

John Fitzgerald, twenty-two years superintendent of the St. Paul, Minn., workhouse, is dead.

Marion Connell was jailed at Birmingham, Ala., on charge of murdering his wife near that city.

The third large oil well in forty-eight hours has been brought in three miles south of Muskogee, Okla.

While plowing near Goldthwaite, Tex., Terrell Adcock was shot five times and killed. Led Green, eighteen years old, was taken into custody.

Suffering from the extreme heat R. T. Huffman dived through a window of a Memphis negro restaurant. He was slightly hurt.

Maine Democrats, in session at Bangor, nominated Obadiah Gardner of Rockland for governor and Everett M. Mower of Augusta for state auditor.

Several months ago night riders in Lyon county, Kentucky, brutally whipped H. B. Bennett with thorn switches. Over 150 thorns were taken from his body. Since then he has slept every night in the woods.

Sided With Father.

"There is a little chap in our town," said the suburbanite, "whose father and mother have words quite frequently, and have them loud enough to be heard by the neighbors. The burden of their recriminations when audible is, on the wife's part, that she ever lowered the Hicks family sufficiently to marry a Stubbs, and on his part that he ever honored the Hicks family by allying it with the house of Stubbs.

"One day last summer the young son of the house went fishing. He had barely got his line into the brook when he heard his mother calling him.

"There it is," said he disgustedly; "the minute the Stubbses begin to fish the Hickses begin to holler."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

An Ordinance Entitled on and Regulating Running at Large of Dogs.

Be It Ordained by City Council, City of Bryan:

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for the owner of any dog to permit such dog to run at large within the corporate limits of the city of Bryan during the months of June, July and August unless such dog shall have on a muzzle sufficient to keep said dog from biting.

Sec. 2. That any person violating the preceding article of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and, upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum not less than one nor more than one hundred dollars; providing, however, that city attorney may dismiss prosecution against person for violating this ordinance upon their payment of their impounding fee hereinafter allowed the city marshal and costs of such prosecution.

Sec. 3. That it shall be the duty of the city marshal or some one deputized by him to take up and impound all dogs found running at large in violation of this ordinance, and safely keep such dog for a period of forty-eight hours, and use diligence to ascertain the owner of same. If owner of such dog cannot be ascertained, and no person appears and claims such dog and pays the impounding fee, within forty-eight hours after such dog is so impounded, then it shall be presumed that such dog is of no value to the owner, and it shall be the duty of the city marshal or some one appointed for the purpose, to kill such dog in a manner deemed most practical.

Sec. 4. For every dog impounded the city marshal shall be entitled to an impounding fee of one dollar, to be paid by the owner of such dog impounded, and the further sum of twenty-five cents for every dog killed in compliance with this ordinance; and all fees collected by the marshal are to be applied by him to the payment of expenses incurred in taking up and impounding such dog.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect at once after publication.

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 FRANK CLARKE, Secretary.
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